



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6286**

LCO No. 1447

Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:  
REP. SHABAN, 135th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING NATURAL GAS EXPANSION.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) require gas companies
- 2 to jointly file a plan to expand natural gas conversion to potential on
- 3 and off-main customers over the next seven years, (2) increase the
- 4 payback period of the hurdle rate calculation to twenty-five years, and
- 5 (3) allow new natural gas customers to pay the contribution in aid of
- 6 construction charge over multiple years, rather than upfront.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To enact certain recommendations of the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection's proposed Comprehensive Energy Strategy that would expand the current use of natural gas in the state.